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MEDIA REMINDER

PSC TO HOLD LOCAL PUBLIC HEARINGS IN KANSAS CITY IN KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT RATE CASE

JEFFERSON CITY—The Missouri Public Service Commission will hold two local public hearings in **Kansas City on Thursday, August 24, 2006**, to receive public comment in an electric rate case filed by Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL).

The local public hearings will be held in the Jackson County Courthouse Legislative Chamber, 415 East 12th Street. The first hearing will begin at noon, the other at 6:00 pm. At 11:30 am and again at 5:30 pm, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission will hold an informal question and answer session.

These hearings will be held in a building that meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If any person needs additional accommodations to participate in these hearings, please call the Public Service Commission's hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 prior to the local public hearings.

On February 1, 2006, KCPL filed an electric rate case with the Public Service Commission. According to KCPL's press release, the electric company is seeking to increase annual electric revenues by approximately \$55.8 million (11.5%). According to KCPL, the requested increase would add approximately \$7 to a typical Missouri residential customer's average monthly bill.

The Missouri Public Service Commission will hold formal hearings in Jefferson City October 16-20, 2006 and October 23-27, 2006.

KCPL serves approximately 267,000 electric customers in western Missouri.